

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

Civil Action No.: 05-10448-GAO

JOANNE M. ROYER,)
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Plaintiff,)
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v.)
)
BLUE CROSS BLUE SHIELD)
OF MASSACHUSETTS, INC., et al.)
)
Defendants.)
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RULE 7.1 CERTIFICATE

Undersigned counsel certifies that on July 8, 2005, he conferred with Bernard Kansky, counsel for plaintiff, in an attempt to narrow or resolve the issues raised by the Motion to Dismiss and the Motion to Strike filed by Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Massachusetts, Inc., and Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Massachusetts, Inc. Omnibus Welfare Benefit Plan in the above-captioned matter.

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